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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The specification, claims, or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or properly stored because:
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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Applicants: Eduard K. de Jong  
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Title: INTERLEAVED DATA AND INSTRUCTION STREAMS FOR  
APPLICATION PROGRAM OBFUSCATION  
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 17, 2004, the following documents are enclosed:

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers-  
Filing Date Granted (2 pages); and
3. Replacement Specification (83 pages total).

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed

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documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicants hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

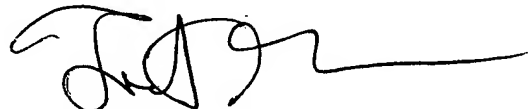
A substitute specification was required in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. Applicant notes that it was stated that "Pages 2, 24-31, 33 and 67 are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 (a) apparently due to a lack of "sufficient clarity and contrast between the paper and the writing thereon."

Enclosed is a substitute specification in response to the above noted requirement with all pages reprinted in view of the above quotation from the Notice. The substitute specification is the same as the copy of the as-filed specification in the file of Applicant's attorney. The above application was transferred to the undersigned Attorney for Applicant after the filing of the application. Therefore, based upon information and belief, the enclosed copy is a true copy of the specification as filed and does not add new matter.

Please address all further correspondence to the undersigned Attorney for Applicant. Please telephone the undersigned, if there are any questions.

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